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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shin YASUDA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2872

Application No.: 10/796,033

Examiner: F. ASSAF

Filed: March 10, 2004

Docket No.: 119038

For: HOLOGRAPHIC RECORDING METHOD AND APPARATUS

**SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant's representative conducted a personal interview with Examiner Assaf on April 27, 2006. A summary of the substance of the personal interview is contained in the following remarks.

Applicant's representative reviewed the claim amendments presented in Applicant's Amendment filed on April 14, 2006. Applicant's representative noted that claim 1 recites a holographic recording method for multiplexing at least two or more files, each of the files comprising one or a plurality of page data in an optical recording medium, as holograms, that includes, *inter alia*, "determining whether or not page data to be recorded constitute a same file; recording page data of separate files respectively in different positions in the optical recording medium, with the page data of separate files not multiplexed; and performing recording control with respect to page data of the same file such that the page data of the same file can be multiplexed."

Applicant identified support for features in the above claim within the original specification. Such support may be found at least at: page 4, lines 4-19; page 6, lines 11-19; page 9, lines 19-21; page 20, lines 5-12; page 23, lines 7-9 and 18-23; Abstract; and Fig. 6A-6B.

The Examiner agreed that the amended claims appear to overcome the current rejections and stated that he intended to perform a subsequent search of the prior art.

Should any questions arise regarding this submission, all inquiries may be directed to Applicant's undersigned representative at the telephone number set forth below.

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